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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Examiner Owens is thanked for the thorough Office Action.

In the claims

The claims are amended as discussed below. No new matter is added.

Restriction

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the withdrawal of the restriction requirement.

Claim objections

Objection to Claim 3

The objection to claim 3 is acknowledged. I could not find an instance of "second" in the original patent application or the previous response to office action. The applicant intends to spell the word as "second". My copies of the previous office action and the application as originally filed show the correct spelling of "second" in claim 3. Possibly, the fax of the previous office action had defect over that word.

Applicant respectfully requests the examiner make an examiner amendment if a correction is required.

Objections to claims 1 and 14, and 26 and 33

Claims 1 and 14, and 26 and 33 are amended as kindly suggested by the examiner.

ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

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The allowance of claims 1-33 is gratefully acknowledged.

Pending claims

It is believed that all the pending claims have been addressed. However, the absence of a reply to a specific rejection, issue or comment does not signify agreement with or concession of that rejection, issue or comment. In addition, because the arguments made above may not be exhaustive, there may be reasons for patentability of any or all pending claims (or other claims) that have not been expressed. Finally, nothing in this paper should be construed as an intent to concede any issue with regard to any claim, except as specifically stated in this paper, and the amendment of any claim does not necessarily signify concession of the unpatentability of the claim prior to its amendment.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, issuance of the application is requested.

It is requested that the Examiner telephone the undersigned attorney at (215) 670-2455 should there be anyway that we could help to place this Application in condition for Allowance.

Charge to Deposit Account

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to apply any fees or credits in this case, which are not already covered by check or credit card, to Deposit Account No. 502018

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referencing this attorney docket. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fee under 37 CFR §1.16 and 1.17 to this Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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